

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re of Application of: Julia BILLIARD, et al.  
Application No.: 10/823,998      Group Art No.: 1646  
Filed: April 14, 2004      Examiner: Xiaozhen Xie  
For: A NOVEL METHOD OF MODULATING BONE-RELATED ACTIVITY  
Confirmation No.: 7072  
Customer Number: 25291

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of three (3) month(s) to respond to the Office Action mailed on August 8, 2007, for the subject application.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

- ☐ is filed herewith  
☐ has been filed

(complete the following if applicable)

- ☒ response is the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.

3. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):

<input type="checkbox"/>	One Month.	Fee in the amount of	\$	120.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months.	Fee in the amount of	\$	460.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Three Months.	Fee in the amount of	\$	1,050.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months.	Fee in the amount of	\$	1,640.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five Months.	Fee in the amount of	\$	2,230.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore.

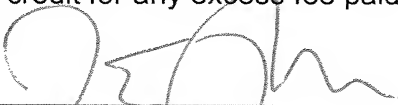
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- ☐ An extension for months has already been secured and the fee paid therefore of \$0.00 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request: \$1,050.00

4. Fee Payment

- ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 01-1425. This is a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

  
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